GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
EXTERNAL AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:3718
ANSWERED ON:17.04.2002
CONSTRUCTION OF HAJ HOUSES
GANTA SRINIVASA RAO

Will the Minister of EXTERNAL AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Central Haj Committee has provided financial assistance to Andhra Pradesh Haj Committee for construction of Haj Houses in the State;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the number of Haj Houses constructed in the State and the number out of them functional?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF EXTERNAL AFFAIRS (SHRI JASWANT SINGH)

(a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The Haj Committee, Mumbai, provided financial assistance of Rs.79,60,000/- to the Andhra Pradesh State Haj Committee for construction of Haj House at Hyderabad in Andhra Pradesh in three installments, as per the following details :-

i) On 06.12.1999 Rs.25,00,000.00
ii) On 12.02.2001 Rs.24,60,000.00
iii) On 22.10.2001 Rs.30,00,000.00

Total Rs.79,60,000.00

(c) There is only one Haj House constructed in Andhra Pradesh at Hyderabad, which is functional.